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DIARY NOTES

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9 November 1964

- 25X1A9a 1. At the Executive Committee Meeting this morning 25X1A9a [redacted] announced that [redacted] had reported for duty this morning and would serve as a member of the Board of National Estimates for approximately three months.
- 25X1A9a 2. [redacted] from the Office of Finance was up to talk with me about his very extensive administrative background, which frankly I think he exaggerated a little bit, and to express his desire for duties in the general administrative field. This visit was brought about by the fact that, although Bob Fuchs has already placed him in the Chief of Support position, Frank has been told that I wish to fill this position with a Support careerist. I told Frank that this was no reflection on him, that I had not been aware of his interest in this field, and that I would keep him in mind for future assignments in this area although I did not hold out any very bright prospects.
3. General Carter came down to say that he planned to go to [redacted] 25X1A6a on Sunday, 15 November, and would remain there for the week to rest and shoot quail.
- 25X1A9a 4. [redacted] and I briefed Mr. Kirkpatrick on the system for turning out the lights in the Headquarters building at night, and he is now satisfied that the current system is all right. (I hope that we won't hear any more about this.)
5. I discussed several items with Mr. Kirkpatrick.
- a. I advised Kirk that a committee had been formed for our Christmas Program, that we planned to spend approximately \$400 from our Club fund, and that the Fine Arts Commission thought that the outdoor display which the committee had in mind for the central inner court was corny. We agreed that, while we don't want to put up something that is obviously corny, we should not have to seek the approval of the Fine Arts Commission for Christmas decorations. This would certainly dampen some of the enthusiasm we now have for this program.
- 25X1A6b b. I queried Kirk again about our memorandum regarding Agency-wide use of Support Officers and on the [redacted] housing paper. He said that he had talked to General Carter about these papers just this morning and that he hoped to have a decision for me soon.

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c. I mentioned to Kirk the briefing on security and suitability cases which he had proposed for General Carter in Action Memorandum No. A-433. I recommended that he meet with us informally for this briefing and that we not bother General Carter with it since in most cases we could do nothing except worry him and would have no positive recommendations to make. He agreed with this, and we will brief him some-time soon.

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6. On Saturday afternoon, 7 November, in the locker room of the Army Navy Country Club General Art Tyson told me that he understood that Lt. General Alva Fitch, Deputy Director of the Defense Intelligence Agency, would replace Lt. General Joseph Carroll as Director of DIA and that Joe Carroll would replace J. Edgar Hoover as Director of the FBI. (I passed this rumor on to General Carter and to [REDACTED] for the Director.) 25X1A9a

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7. At the Executive Committee Meeting this morning during a conversation between Bud Wheelon and the Director about setting up some sort of panel, Bud indicated that there was some sort of security problem with an individual named [REDACTED]. The Director indicated that he understood this and that perhaps we would need to talk to Bob Bannerman about it.

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25X1A9a [REDACTED] returned to me Howard Osborn's memorandum of 7 November 1964 on [REDACTED] with the following handwritten note from General Carter: "Red: In hindsight, two polygraph examinations in one day doesn't compensate for none in eleven years--Please take another look at our procedures--is there any regularity?? Should not the Medical Staff have been called in for apathetic behavior?" Later I talked to Howard Osborn about General Carter's note and asked him to prepare a status report on our reinvestigation program. In addition, we should ask ourselves searching questions on how we can give higher priority to those cases in which there is something in the employee's background to make a reinvestigation necessary. Any homosexual act or tendency certainly should be one criterion; however, there might be others. In connection with General Carter's question on whether we should have consulted the Medical Staff because of [REDACTED] 25X1A9a apathetic attitude, I believe that Howard was correct in believing that there was no indication that this action was necessary.

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9. Howard Osborn advised me that a paper is en route to me on the [REDACTED] case. In this connection, Howard advised me that [REDACTED] has not yet been debriefed. He suggested that he call [REDACTED] and that he make the necessary debriefing papers available to [REDACTED] I later spoke

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to General Carter and 25X1A9a about Mr. 25X1A9a clearances at the White House, and General Carter approved of contacting 25X1A9a on this 25X1A9a matter. (I advised Howard Osborn accordingly.)

10. Mr. Kirkpatrick asked me to talk to Dr. Tietjen about a paper or briefing on the homosexual problem, bearing in mind the several cases in and out of the Agency which continue to come to light. I told him that I would talk with Dr. Tietjen about this. (I am obligated to make some recommendation to Kirk.)

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